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Request for Reconsideration

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Dear Sir:

This Request is in response to a Non-Final office action dated October 2, 2006. A petition for an extension of time for ONE (1) Months is submitted herewith.